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NEED MORE ROOM FOR HIGH SCHOOL

SEVERAL IMPROVEMENTS NEXT YEAR IF PROPOSITION CARRIES

TO PUT IN AGRICULTURE

Another Year to the Smith-Hughes Domestic Science Course—Two Teachers Have No Class Room.

Yesterday's paper contained a statement of the progress made by our high school during the past few years. We are not content, however, to stand still and make no further progress in the future. Several additional improvements are being planned now, for next year.

(1.) We hope to introduce a new department of vocational agriculture, under the provisions of the Federal Smith-Hughes Act. This course is for the purpose of training our boys to be practical farmers and gardeners. Each boy taking the course spends one-half of his time for two years learning all about farm life. He must have at least six months experience each year on the farm in doing farm work. The federal and state governments will pay all of the salary of an $1,800.00 man, to teach these courses. If this is not done the Board of Education will have to employ an extra teacher, anyhow, out of our low funds, to take care of our rapidly increasing enrollment. At the present time there are no rooms in which these new courses can be taught. We cannot take advantage of the government's free offer unless the bond issue, for more class rooms, carries next Tuesday.

(2.) We wish to add the second year course of the Smith-Hughes Domestic Science course which we have already installed in our school. We will need a model dining room, a model kitchen and a model bedroom for this department. We are required to arrange these rooms before September first 1920 in order to keep our work approved by the government which pays one half of the salary of our teacher. We cannot do this unless the Bond Issue carries.

(3.) At the present time with 232 students in the high school we have two

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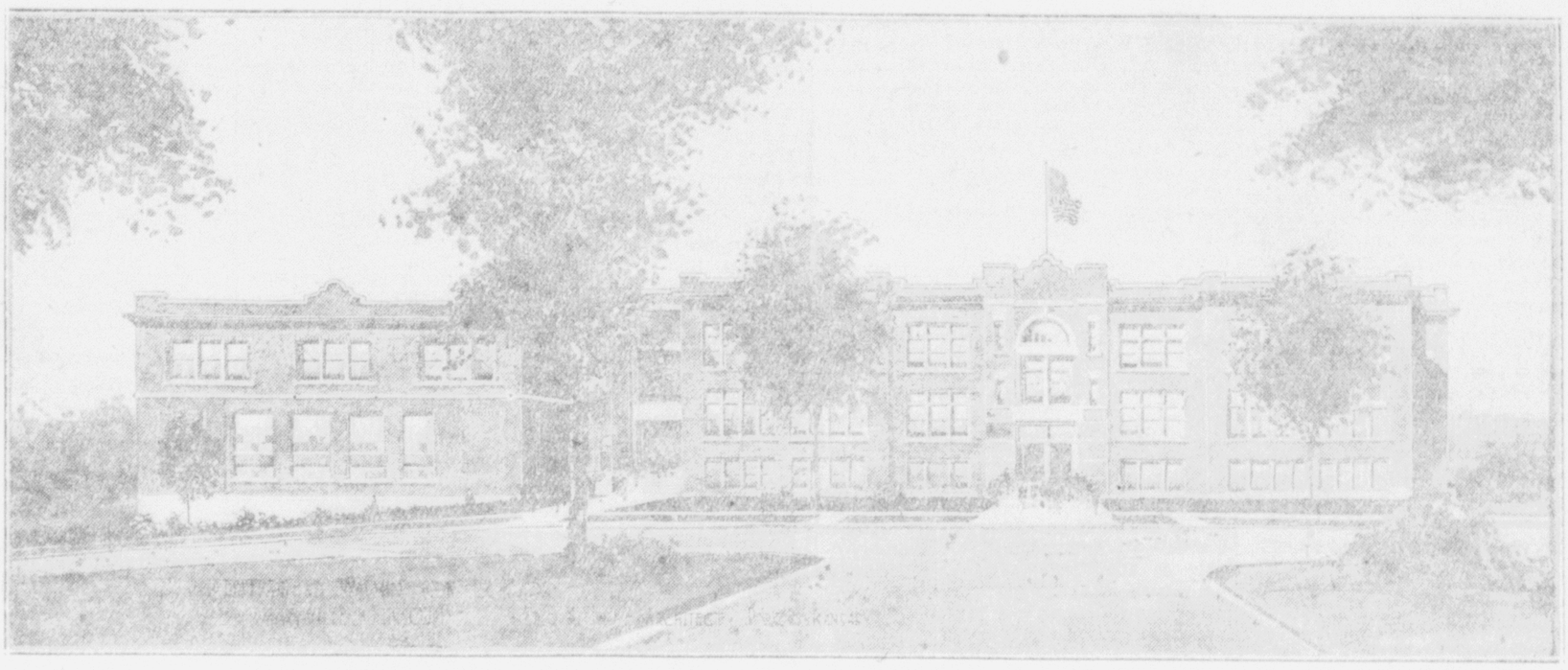

CENTRAL SCHOOL BUILDING WITH THE PROPOSED ADDITION.

The proposition to issue $75,000 in bonds to be voted on at the election next Tuesday will be used for an addition to the school building and will provide six additional classrooms, a modern gymnasium and the basement for shower baths, lockers, etc. With such a building it will make it possible to extend the scope of the school in domestic science and add a department in agriculture.

See the

Wishing Ring

at the Empire Theatre, April 7 and 8. Beautiful Spectacular Operetta. Get your tickets early. Only two nights.

The Penelope Club will hold a market at the Price Furniture Co., Saturday, April 3 for the benefit of the Orphan's Home of Council Bluffs. There will be all kinds of tempting eatables for your Easter dinner.

ATTENTION—SIR KNIGHTS.

Members of Maryville Commandery No. 40, Knights Templar, are requested to meet at asylum in I. O. O. F. Hall at 10 a. m., Sunday, April 4, for the purpose of attending in body Easter services at M. E. Church, South.

WALTER S. TODD, S. C.

U. S. WRIGHT, Recorder.

NOTICE OF MASS MEETING.

A mass meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m., Friday, April 2nd, 1920, at the Court House to nominate two candidates for the office of School Directors.

BARBER'S SHIPPED SHORTHORN COW TO SOUTH AMERICA

Skidmore Stockmen Disposed of Fine Animal at $3,000—Stood 5th at the Chicago Show.

F. C. Barber and Sons of Skidmore shipped one of their thoroughbred Shorthorn cows to Chicago, Friday evening, where she will be put in with a herd of fine cattle and shipped to South America.

The Barbers sold this cow to William Hartnett, during the National Stock show, held in Chicago, this winter. This cow was a beautiful animal and stood 5th at Chicago and 2nd at the Iowa State fair, also 2nd in Missouri. The Barbers received $3,000 for her.—Skidmore News.

ELMO CONSOLIDATION WAS DEFEATED 131 TO 75

Seven School Districts Voted on Proposition of Consolidating Yesterday at Elmo.

The consolidation of the seven school districts in the Elmo community was defeated yesterday afternoon by a vote of 131 against to 75 for. The districts in the consolidation were Elmo, Mt. Tabor, Union Grove, Cottonwood, Possum Walk and North Grove. The meeting was held at the Elmo high school and County Superintendent Bert Cooper called the meeting to order. George P. Shoptaugh was selected as chairman and Miss Leona Badger as Secretary of the meeting. The tellers selected were L. Yaple, C. C. Younger, T. R. Livengood and F. D. Hurst.

Awaits Action of The President.

Washington, April 2.—Settlement of the railroad wage dispute today awaits the action of President Wilson. With representatives of the railroad executives refusing to continue the bi-partisan wage conferences, the entire question is now over the railroad labor board to be created under the Cummins Bill.

MUSICAL FANTASY TO BE ELABORATE

"THE WISHING RING" 2 NIGHTS NEXT WEEK

175 PEOPLE IN CHORUSES

Fairy Opera Abounds in Beautiful Dances, Songs, Costumes and Scenery.

The musical fantasy, "The Wishing Ring" which will be given Wednesday and Thursday nights of next week at the Empire theatre under the auspices of the Ladies Aid society of the First Christian church, promises to be one of the most elaborate productions of its kind ever given in Maryville.

The training of the cast under the direction of Miss Helen Nelson of the John B. Rogers company of Fostoria, Ohio, has been going on daily for several days and the directors are highly pleased with the progress the cast has made toward the perfection of the production.

The cast includes about 175, among them being a large number of Maryville's most talented people. This opera or musical extravaganza abounds in melodious songs, lively tunes, beautiful costumes, scenes and dances. The costumes to be used are entirely new and are beautiful in design.

The theme centers around Jean and Allen, a little boy and girl who are dissatisfied with their home and wish to go to Story Book Land and in their dreams realize their wish. There they meet all their Story Book friends and all manner of strange things happen. A side plot takes in the love affairs and flirtations of Mistress Mary with Tom Tom with difficulties arising but which are all finally overcome and everything ends happily. It is whispered that Dr. W. J. Lininger as Mrs. Jack Spratt is worth the price of admission.

There are twenty principals in the cast who are:

Mistress Mary	Mrs. Loren Schnabel
Tom Tom	Russell Allan
Little Bo Peep	Mary Holt
Knave of Hearts	Verne Moore
Allen	Doris Wallace
Jean	Ruth Jensen
The Mother	Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr.
King of Hearts	Prof Fred Keller
Queen of Hearts	Charlene Pixler
Simple Simon	Chilton Robinson
Marjorie Daw	Ruth Bookman
Mrs. Jack Sprat	Dr. W. J. Lininger
Jack Spratt	Carlos Yehle
Geraldine	Robert Nicholas
The Pie Man	Ermil Coler
Mrs. Pumpkin Eater	Marjorie Willey
Old King Cole	Guy Henry
Mother Goose	Lorena Fenton
A Messenger	Jack Rowlett

Choruses— snowdrops, gardeners, poppies, knights and ladies, society girls, suffragettes, roses and nymphs.

The proceeds of the play will go in to the fund for the building of a new parsonage for the Christian church.

$600 IN TIRES STOLEN FROM GARRETT'S GARAGE LAST NIGHT

Clearmont Garage Was Again the Scene of a Burglary for the Fourth Time This Year.

The garage of Hubert Garrett of Clearmont was broken into some time last night and tires and inner tubes to the value of $600 to $700 were taken. Entrance to the building was gained through a window in the rear of the garage. Four tires and two inner tubes were found this morning near the Howard Bush's farm.

This is the fourth time within the past year that this garage has been broken into and either tires, gasoline or tools taken. Mr. Garrett was in Maryville this morning in conference with Sheriff John Dowden.

FIRST METHODIST S. S. TO GIVE EASTER PROGRAM

The children of the First Methodist church Sunday school will give an Easter program during the regular Sunday school hour Sunday. The classes are asked to meet in their usual places at 9:30 o'clock to conduct their business sessions after which all will assemble at 9:45 o'clock for the program is entitled "New Life" and is as follows:

Part I

New Life thru the Risen Lord

Processional, the Day of Resurrection—Choir and School

Proclamation

The Easter Story dramatized by five Junior pupils

Part II

Song—Roll the Stone Away—Choir

New Life thru Nature

Proclamation—Katherine Remus

Song and Pantomime—The Waking of the flowers— Beginners Dept.

Song—An Easter Carol— Primary Dept.

The Easter Message by four pupils from Primary Dept.

Part III

New Life for the Nations

Proclamation—Norma Randall

New Life for the Nations —A pageant by thirteen Intrmediate pupils

Song—Tell it out, Choir

Report of Offering for Centenary

Closing song—Hark ten thousand harps, Choir and school

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Two Night Shows 7:30 and 9:00; 11c and 17c.

8TH GRADE PUPILS EXAMINATIONS SOON

PLACES WHERE THEY WILL BE HELD AND CONDUCTORS

WILL BE HELD APR. 16-17

Rural Pupils Who Makes Highest Average Grade Will Receive 4-year Scholarships in Maryville H. S.

The eighth grade examinations will be held on Friday and Saturday, April 16 and 17, and the subjects will be given in the following order: arithmetic and physiology; forenoon; agriculture, spelling and civil government, afternoon on Friday; grammar, reading, forenoon; U. S. History and geography afternoon on Saturday. Each applicant making the required average grade will receive a diploma which is a certificate of promotion and will admit him to any high school state. A four year free tuition in the Maryville high school is being offered to the rural pupil making the highest average grade. There are also scholarships given by the townships of the county.

The conductors of each examination will collect a fee of twenty five cents from each pupil who takes the examination and send the amount to the County Superintendent for the purpose of employing some one to assist in grading the papers.

On Saturday afternoon, April 17, teacher should make arrangements for holding graduating exercises, if this has not already been done. The program should be arranged, place of meeting selected and date fixed. A copy of the program should be sent to the County Superintendent as soon as it is finished.

The places for holding these examinations and the names of the conductors are:

Hughes township —Graham high school— conductors: J. N. Geyer, Lucile Snowberger, Mrs. Gladys Yeaman Neil

Monroe— Skidmore high school. Conductors: J. W. Pierce, Alice Olinger, Nita Strickler.

Lincoln— Elmo high school. Conductors: Leona Badger, Birdie Ray, Audrey Spangler

Nodaway township —Burlington Junction high school. Conductors: F. D. Glaze, Chloa Hosher, Ruth Jones.

Atchison township—Clearmont high school. Conductors: Mary Carson, Mrs. Ethel Lawrence, Mrs. Sofa Cable

Hopkins— Hopkins high school. Conductors: Geo. W. Somerville, Beulah Russel, Bessie Nicholson.

Union —Pickering high school. Conductors: W. H. Burr, Sadie Neal, Bessie Brewer.

Polk— Maryville business college. Conductors: Mary Watson, Grace Fisher, Bessie Densmore.

White Cloud— Davis school house. Conductors: Effie Henderson, Zella Bushy, Belle Collins.

Grant— Barnard high school. Conductors: C. F. Ross, Bertha Campbell, Hazel Davidson.

Washington— Guilford high school. Conductors: J. M. Broadbent, Roxie Wilson, Earl Brittian

Jefferson —Conception Junction high school. Conductors: E. H. White, Sr., M. Maura, Sr., M. Rita

Jackson —Ravenwood high school. Conductors: Reba Tomlin, Mrs. Leta Tenney, Ethel Stevenson.

Harmony—Conductors: W. A. Powers, Blanche Silvers, Vida Fisher.

Independence — Gaynor school house. Conductors, Maude Whitehead Myrtle Earks, Wilma Millikan

Parnell high school —Conductors: W. I. Lewis, Hazel Miller, Ora Bishop Green —Quitman high school. Conductors: Olga Lee Redman, Hazel Mc Combs, Lucy Palmer.

COLBERT NOW MANAGING EDITOR MONITOR-INDEX

Herschel Colbert, son of Dean and Mrs. George H. Colbert of this city, assumed editorship yesterday of the Moberly Monitor-Index. The following is from the paper in regard to it.

Capt. H. M. Colbert of the Chicago Herald-Examiner, has associated himself with the Monitor-Index and will direct the news gathering forces of this paper from this time forward.

Capt. Colbert is a graduate of the Missouri School of Journalism. He was for a time city editor of the Democrat-Forum at Maryville, after which he became connected with the Chicago City Press Bureau, and later accepted a place with the Herald Examiner.

At the outbreak of the war he was among the first to volunteer. He left the training camp at Fort Sheridan with a Captain's commission and was sent to Texas where he became an expert in training and drill tactics. At the close of the war he returned to Chicago Herald-Examiner and has remained with that paper until last week when he resigned to became associated with this paper. His is an admirer of Moberly and a strong believer in the future of the Monitor-Index.

Municipal Workers Back to Work.

Chicago, April 2.—Agreeing to submit the wage negotiations to arbitration, the municipal workers whose strike paralized business for several days, returned to work today. The firemen are sticking to their intentions to quit their jobs April 7.

Announce Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Johnson of Maryville announce the birth of a daughter yesterday whom they have named Lura Yvonnette.

Mrs. M. G. Tate went to Grant City this morning for a short visit with her daughter, Miss Jeannette Tate.

BURNS HELD FOR THE APRIL TERM

"BOBBIE" BURNS BOUND OVER IN CONNECTION WITH HOLDUP.

TWO OTHERS WERE HELD

One Man, "Buddie" Wells Was Given His Release—Immense Crowd Attended Preliminary at Sedalia.

Owen J. Burns' preliminary hearing was held Wednesday at Sedalia and he was bound over to the April term of circuit court of that county. Mr. Burns is charged with highway robbery. Mr. Burns was recently acquitted in Maryville of the charge of the Jackson Bank burglary at Clearmont in the circuit court.

The following is from the Sedalia Democrat:

Under $10,000 bond each O. J. "Bobbie" Burns, Frank Carey, and Irvin Edwards, charged with highway robbery, were remanded to the county jail at noon Wednesday by order of Judge J. C. Connor, justice of the peace, after completion of the preliminary hearing which lasted for two hours. The men are bound over to the April term of criminal court. John "Buddie" Wells was discharged after no evidence had been brought out that he was connected with the robbery.

The men charged with robbery were arrested Sunday, March 21, after four robbers had held up nineteen prominent Sedalians at a session of the "Saturday Evening Club" on East Second street.

Nearly three hundred men and women packed the criminal court room at the Court House at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning when the preliminary hearing began before Judge Connor. The defense was represented individually by Attorneys Wilkerson & Barnett, W. D. O'Bannon and W. D. Steele. Attorney George F. Logan assisted Prosecuting Attorney A. L. Shortridge.

First to take the stand for the prosecution was J. B. McAlister who had sworn to information against the men alleging that they had robbed him of $650 and a diamond stick pin valued at $1,500. Mr. McAlister testified that the robbers entered the "club" rooms between 1:30 and 2:00 o'clock Sunday morning, March 21, that the men came in yelling and ordered the "club" members to throw up their hands. The robbery followed. When asked by Attorney W. D. O'Bannon what size guns the men had, Mr. McAlister said, "Well—they were awfully big." The court rapped for order. Asked what the men wore he stated that they were garbed in overalls and stocking caps pulled over their face but leaving partially exposed their eyes, nose and mouth. Three men covered the club members with guns while one with a hammer in his hand searched for and took the money. This man later nailed up the front door through which they had entered and escaped with the other three out the back door.

According to the testimony of McAlister, after the robbers had left and conjectures had been made as to whom the men were one of the "club" members rose said, "This is very unfortunate. One of our number is a leading republican and Mac is a democrat. Let's keep them out of it." At this point Mr. McAlister said he rose and replied that he was going to the bottom of the affair.

Mr. McAlister said he could identify only one man, O. J. Burns, and that was by hearing his voice.

Witnesses testified they recognized a voice as Carey's.

Burns, Edwards and Carey, were seen at another gambling house shortly following the robery a witness testified. He had gone from the "Saturday Evening Club" to the other house and

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WEATHER FOR TODAY

Partly cloudy tonight with freezing temperature, Saturday unsettled, not much change in temperature.

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Pertinent Political Prattle

(By A. T. Edmonston

Jefferson City— With four high class, staunch, Democrats, Lieutenant Governor Wallace Crossley of Johnson county; Representative and former State Senator Frank W. Farris Phelps, county, John H. Atkinson formerly of Ripley county, now living and practicing law in St. Louis and Judge and former State Senator Charles H. Mayer of St. Joseph, officially entered a saspirants for the huge Democratic honor, the guberna torial nomination, the coming August primary promises to establish a new record for total number of votes cast by the only "Reliable Party" in the preliminary skirmish. Just which one of the quartet will draw down the big prize even wiseacres are hesitating to proclaim at the present moment as each has a personal following extensive and active enough to make the start in the huge event and even matter for all. Democratic conventions held in Franklin, Phelps, Marion, Dent, Pulaski and Crawford indorsed the candidacy of former Senator Far...

Several well known dry leaders are openly and vigorously espousing the cause of Attorney General Atkinson. Lieutenant Governor Crossley has the hearty support of nearly every Democrat of Johnson county and Judge Mayer is well known and very popular in St. Joseph and the counties of Northwest Missouri. He will probably direct his campaign from St. Joseph. Former Senator Farris will have his headquarters in Jefferson City, and Lawyer Atkinson in St. Louis. Lieutenant Governor Crossley has not yet announced where his headquarters will be.

Whatever opposition there was to John L. Sullivan again being made the Democratic nominee for Secretary of State has been withdrawn for the lack of support. It now looks as this splendid honor will again be tendered that young efficient state official but this time by unanimous consent of all Missouri Democracy. The general feeling among Democratic leaders is that no really true blue member of the party ought to file against Secretary Sullivan. His record during the three years he has been in office is a Democratic asset of vast value during the coming campaign. To defeat Secretary Sullivan for renomination would be equvilanet to killing the bird which laid the golden egg.

Is the Colonel "wet" or "dry"?

Dodging the prohibition issue has become popular among the aspirants for political honors in both parties in the effort to play neutral and thereby, if it is possible win the support of the heavy "wet" element in the cities and the controlling dry action in the rural and rustic sections of Missouri But this assertion is not true of Col. Dwight M. Davis of St. Louis, running for the "gop" nomination for United States Senator against Selden P. Spencer the present incumbent. In an address which marks the opening of his campaign, in Cape Girardeau, Saturday, Col. Davis, if he was quoted correctly in the big St. Louis Sunday papers the next day, definitely announced that he stood for the referendum when it came to prohibition. While to the unsophisticated of the Republican party this supposed attempt to straddle this big proposition may be regarded as neutral, it is accepted for just what it stands for and means by both the "wets" and "drys" of this badly divided party. When prohibition the proposed constitutional amendment which would have made this commonwealth as dry as the Sahara desert, was defeated with the aid of the heavy "wet" vote of St. Louis by 73,964 votes. In 1916 when the same question was up to the voters of the state the constitutional amendment went down again, with the aid of the heavy St. Louis vote, under a majority of 122,538 against it. Col. Davis is from St. Louis and the chiep supporters of his candidacy is the awfully "wet Republican machine of St. Louis enough said: where does it stand?

Indorse Mayer or Governor

Some Boone county Democrats put one over Saturday for Judge Charles H. Mayer of St. Joseph in his race for the Democratic nomination for Governor when his candidacy was enthusiastically indorsed by the Bourbon township Democratic convention. That place is the former home of Judge Mayer and he is still well remembered there and his popularity is as wide spread as in the days of his youth. After the convention a Mayer-for Governor club with a membership of 287 was organized. Ten delegates to represent the township in the big Boone county Democratic convention to be held in the week, were selected and they will endeavor to swing that gathering into enacting a resolution indorsing the gubernatorial aspirations of Judge Mayer. The efficiency of the administrations of President Wilson and Governor Gardner was upheld amid wild enthusiasm in ringing resolutions.

Pickering M. E. Church

We are glad to note that our interest in all services are on the increase Last Sunday was a good day. It was Decision day in our Sunday school and 21 signed up for service for Jesus. Next Sunday will be a full day. We expect a fine Missionary program in the Sunday school. Also a good Missionary service at 11 o'clock. At this hour there will be many baptized and received into the church .We expect a large atendance to all services.

Geo. W. Green, Pastor.

"Hobo" day was observed in the Pickering high school on April 1st. This was unique and very much enjoyed by the youngsters.

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EDITOR SECOR OF SUCCESSFUL FARMING UNABLE TO VISIT.

Alson Secor, editor of the Successful Farming of Des Moines, Ia., arrived in Maryville last night to visit some of the vitalized agriculture schools of this county. He took down sick with the grip and was confined to his room at the Bainum hotel today. He expects to leave here tonight for St. Louis.

If Mr. Secor is feeling better he will visit two or three schools this afternoon. The Successful Farming is E. T. Meredith's paper, Mr. Meredith recently being appointed secretary of agriculture by President Wilson.

Mrs. Evans to Colorado.

Mrs. L. H. Evans left this morning for Pierce, Colo. where she will make an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frank J. Crom. Mrs. Evans has been ill for sometime and while her condition is improved, she is making the trip for the purpose of bettering her health. Her husband accompanied her as far as St. Joseph this morning.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. T. Hooker went to St. Joseph this morning on a short business trip.

The telephone systems of the United States—53,234 separate systems—operated in 1917 28,827,188 miles of wire, enough to girdle the earth at the equator 1,153 timesor 1,153 times.

SALESMAN WANTED—To solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address THE TODD OIL & PAINT CO. Cleveland, O.

DEMOCRATIC STATE NEWS

The effect of the Meriwether appeal to Reed's friends throughout the state to aid in arranging Reed meetings has been to bring together the conservative Reed men and the anti-Reed men in an attempt to force the more "radical" of the Reed supporters to stand back and make an opening for a harmonious agreement before the Joplin convention.

As an instance of the resentment which some of Reed's friends feel toward the move made by Meriwether and others in St. Louis and Kansas City, a personal friend and political associate of Senator Reed, living in the Third congressional district, who received one of Meriwether's appeals, sent the following reply to Meriwether Friday:

"I have just received your letter concerning your promotion of speaking dates on Democratic points which you say are dividing the party in the state and Nation. I want to say in reply, at, whileI am in sympathy with the position of Senator Reed now, and always have been, I want to call your attention to our experience in the congressional fight in this, the Third district, and to what that experience has taught us.

"When the campaign started the national committee and the state committee very generously sent to us their representatives and the state committee opened headquarters here. We had hardly got started until the League of Nations followers and the Reed men clashed.

"It was seen we must get together or lose the district. Wise counsel on both sides, guided Ben M. Neale (state chairman), Secretary Shepherd, Frank Armstrong and Theodore Crowley of the state committee, got the factions together and we won. That is what we must do if we would save the state.

"A further discussion of these views in my own opinion, will only serve to widen the breach and create a feeling that will make it harder to span. Why do this?

"Members of the state committee are now trying to get the faction together (and I have the promise of several men who I know are fighting to this end and hope to bring harmony out of the Joplin convention) to lay aside all personal feelings and help arrange a solid front to face the enemy next fall. I am sure the effort is being made now to get together and I think if we all go to Joplin with the get together sentiment in our hearts we will come away a united party.

"I will be glad to join you in any way that will bring party harmony but these public discussions of internal party troubles at this time are inopportune, in my humble opinion, and as a party worker, who seeks no favors, (never did and never will) your efforts can only result in harm and I am against them." —Kansas City Post

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In the eastern parts of the Netherlands, near the borders of Germany, all kinds of quaint customs still prevail that do not exist in the big cities of the West, or in the carnival-loving South. Against the time of Palm Sunday the windows of the little bakers' shops are suddenly decorated by a collection of odd-looking swans, made of a kind of bread dough and ornamented by big, black currant eyes. Of course the shapes are somewhat primitive and make you think of the swan you can form out of the figure 2, but sometimes they are quite glorious and give us the picture of a big mother swan, with two or three little ones on her back, an attitude which gives no end of pleasure to the little possessors of such a marvel.

Besides the swans you may remark wheels of the same breadlike material about as big as a good-sized plate, serving as a solid basis for the Easter pain that is going to be made. On Easter eve, when the little ones have gone to bed, father and mother have a busy time constructing that work of art.

First the wheel must be attached to a stick, by which the structure is to be carried. Then, on the wheel the ...lles horizontally, some six swans are placed upright, each with a twig of fir or palm green on head and tail. Then chains of raisins, prunes and many colored sugar plums are hung between the swans and draped around the wheel. A big orange is fastened in the middle and the Easter palm is ready. The parents go on tiptoe to place it before the bed where the little sleeper is dreaming of tomorrow's joys.

The Joyous Morning.

Oh, the happy awakening in "the bright and early morning, when the palm betrays its presence by mingle... odorous of bread, oranges and f... green, even before you open your eyes.

Then follow the merry processions in white nightgowns with the gay Easter palms, gladdened by the dear old song that does not cease till bedtime:

Palm, palm of Easter
Ei koerei.
After one more Sunday we shall have an egg.
One egg is no egg.
Two eggs is half an egg.
Three eggs is a fine Easter egg!

I never could find out what was meant by the joyous "Ei koerei." It might be a corruption of some old Greek psalm or song, but I must leave the explanation to classical scholars.

All I know is that we used to sing our palm song until we went to bed quite hoarse with the singing and rather the worse for the different bites of "swan" we had enjoyed in the course of the day. That glorious prediction of the "good Easter egg" is largely fulfilled, you may be sure.

The soft-eyed, downy Easter hare does not lay its eggs for us, as it does for our little German neighbors. Our eggs are laid by ordinary hens, but they are wonderful just the same.

Grandmothers, aunts and sisters amuse themselves by knitting many-colored little nets to hold the Easter treasures and, on Saturday, mother hangs up a big kettle of some mysterious stuff to dye the eggs with. Some are colored green with spinach leaves others red with beet juice. The more elegant ones are painted by some artist friend and provided with names and dates, flowers and even pictures. The many-colored nets are filled with eggs and oranges and kept in store to be given out on Easter morning.

Battle of Eggs Begins.

You really would suppose it a pity to break these carefully prepared treasures, but the little vandals think differently. Sometimes the battle begins at home at the traditional Easter lunch of currant bread and hard-boiled eggs. Every member of the family arms himself with the hardest egg he can pick out and then the fun is to beat your egg against that of your neighbor and try which is the harder of the two. The egg that breaks is forfeited to the one who breaks it.

Be sure you will see no wooden shoes; it must be a very poor mother, indeed, who does not give a pair of "real" shoes to her little ones on Easter day. Often there is a band playing on the Easter meadow and a Punch's show to amuse the children, or a merry-go-round inviting you to get seasick at the shortest possible notice. They don't heed that, the little ones! They sit on the wooden horses or in the little sleighs and enjoy being driven round in a circle to the tune of the barrel organ and the merry little bell that rings at every round. And in the evening when the oil lamps are lighted the merry-go-round is a gorgeous sight with its horses, sleighs, bright copper styles and draperies of red velvet and white lace. And the grown-up boys and girls take the places of the little ones, and their laughter sounds merrily over the field where the evening dew is falling.

At The End of the Day.

Then when darkness comes and the glorious sun is gone, suddenly on all sides of the horizon other lights appear, the Easter bonfires sending their flames on high as a symbol of light triumphing over darkness, soaring upward unto the source of all light and all purity.

Mystic symbols and quaint old customs, how far away can we trace them! Through the darkness of the ages, far away even to before the time of Christ, whose resurrection is celebrated in them with reverence and joy. Far away to the times of our ancestors, the ancient German and Saxon races, whose religion was one with the veneration of nature, in communion with which they lived their simple, strenuous lives.

And so from generation to generation, through all the changes of religious and political life, the cherished customs of olden times are held in reverence in this little corner of Europe and will be held so in spite of the leveling influence of modern civilization, for immortal through all outward change is the soul of a nation.—Judith Waller in Kansas City Star.

STALLION AND JACK FOR SALE.

As I have quit farming I have for sale a Registered Black Percheron Stallion, Tableau, No. 88907, foaled October 20, 1911, weight 1800 pounds, sired by Phenix 42215. This stallion is a good breeder, and in fine shape for service.

Also one 6-year-old Jack sired by Major Domo, owned by G. M. Scott. This is a large boned jack with white points and a good breeder.

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Easter Light.

The dew of the first Easter morning still clings to the simple story of the Resurrection. It refreshes our souls today, even as it did the faithful ones who came to the Lord's grave. The story also tells us of the sunrise, and the Easter sun has never set, and the light of it is today making glad the hearts of men.

LATE TELEGRAPH NEWS.

Salina, April 2.—April fool weather cost Kansas hundreds of thousands of dollars, the temperature going down to 22. The black frost annihiliated all blooming fruit, according to reports today.

Dublin, April 2.—Eater rebellions in Ireland are regarded as unlikely although the entire country is in a state of nervous anticipations. The British troops have been shifted up and down the country and the military authorities are preparing to cope with any situation that may arise.

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Rev. Green assisted Rev. Allen at District Centenary meeting at St. Joseph on Wednesday, returning home his Mt. Zion church in revival services this week. He also attended the on Thursday

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Hopkins, 1 to 4 p. m., Tuesday, April 6.
Orsburg, 9 to 9:30 a. m., Wednesday, April 7.
Parnell, 10 to 12 a. m., Wednesday, April 7.
Ravenwood, 1 to 3 p. m., Wednesday, April 7.

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1920 MODELS IN GARDEN FLOWERS

FAVORITES IN GRANDMOTHER'S GARDEN AGAIN POPULAR.

ARE ALWAYS IN BLOOM

Hardy Annuals Offer the Quickest Return of any Garden Material and Need Little Care

Old-fashioned annuals, ancient favorites in our grandmother's garden, are having their day after a period of retirement before the furor for perennials. The marigold, the snapdragon, the lupin, and others now find luxurious homes not only in the garden, but on the greenhouse benches. Snapdragons and pot marigolds adorn the florists window the year round where a few years ago they found where place.

They bloom, that is the secret. Neglect dosen't stop them. The better their care the larger and more lavish their display, but they will always bloom. Graduated from the little patch of posies wherever grandmother found a patch for them, they now hobnob with the tea roses and other floral aristocrats.

A garden of bloom in two months time with annuals is always an easy task. It is only a matter of selection. Think of the royal asters we now have, rivals of the chrysanthemum in size of bloom and stateliness of growth. Now is the time to get ready for a sheet of color outdoors and full vases in the house. Get ready for castor beans the size of a small tree if you like this stately exotic. Five cents will bring the making of a stately screen of the Zanzibar castor bean with its great umbrella leaves.

A low hedge of four o'clocks along the walk or driveway to brighten the dusk with in a kitchen window. They can be started outdoors, but why lose a month or so if there is a place for them.

Gorgeous golden African marigolds with their velvety brown, crimson and mahogany French cousins make the garden gorgeous for the later months. They can be started early and brought in to bloom earlier. It is only a question of selecting a favorite to take advantage of the season. Mourning Brides, larger and finer than our grandmothers ever knew, give a wealth of long-stemmed flowers for cutting and bloom until frost cuts them down and they stand a lot of cold.

Huge zinnias, rivals of the dahlias and not half the trouble, will furnish sheaves of bloom. The florist has achieved a triumph in the new colossal varieties in size, form and color. And they bloom and bloom.

Salvias, the old-fashioned scarlet sage, growing tall or growing short, as may be desired, with long stem or with short stems, the most brilliant annual, needs shelter from the cold when it starts.

Golden daisies, rivals of anything the florist turns out, can be had in the annual chrysanthemums.

Double balsams growing into miniature trees of bloom when transplanted and pinched back are popular again. They are now appreciated as pot plants for summer decorations. Pinks in myriads shades grow as easily as weeds. Annual poppies in delicate silken shades as well as flaunting scarlets are ready to furnish their bloom once their tiny seeds are scattered, but they are an annual that does not bear transplanting well. They should be sown in the open ground.

The hardy annuals offer the quickest return of any garden material. The one fault usually found and which should be garded against in planting them too thickly and losing half their developement. Four o'clocks, for instance, need two feet between them and they will meet. African marigolds make big bushes if given the room. So do the zinnias. Some of the smaller growing annuals need more room than they are usually given. Mignonette needs a six-inch radius to develop its perfume, but it seldom gets it.

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FARMING POPULATION NEEDS ENCOURAGEMENT

Secretary Houston Says Rural Life Should Be Attractive and Business Made Profitable.

Washington, D. C.—Farming is a steadily advancing business occupation in the United States and must be treated as such and provided for nationally, Secretary David F. Houston says.

"There is always danger of glutting the market and of serious loss," declared the Secretary. "Furthermore, the right expansion of the industry is limited by the supply of labor and capital available for farming purposes and by the inelasticity of the demand for farm products. The aim should be to secure a steady flow of commodities of sufficient volume to supply an increasing demand at prices which will yield the farmer a decent wage and a fair profit on his investment."

"There will be farmers enough," the Secretary continued, "if the business of farming is made profitable and if rural life is made attractive and healthful. The consumers must be willing to pay prices for farming products which will enable farmers to produce them and to maintain a satisfactory standard of individual and community life. The nation must, therefore, be prepared to omit nothing to improve the countryside. It is of the first importance that satisfactory schools be provided, good roads be constructed, and that adequate provision be made to give rural communities the requisite sanitary and medical services, including hospital facilities."

He gave figures to show what the present national administration has done for the country's agricultural interests in promoting loan banks, good roads, protection against live stock diseases and the like.

Growing Asparagus.

(By C. G. Stiensmeyer)

Asparagus is a vegetable that is grown in too few home gardens. It is easy to grow, is very appetizing, and is ready for use very early in the season. Perhaps the chief reason it is not more extensively grown is that the bed must be from one to three years old when grown from roots, before the shoots may be cut for the table.

One may sow seed, but is more economical of time and of labor to buy the plant roots. Roots one, two and three years old may be bought from the nursery or seed house. Year old plants usually grow best because the root systems are in better condition than the roots of older plants. Tips may be cut from year old roots two years after planting, and from two and three year old roots, to some extent one year after planting.

Fifty roots planted in a bed 8' by 12' will afford a sufficient supply of asparagus for the average family.

It is very important that the ground be well fertilized before planting. A liberal amount of barnyard manure should be worked into the soil to a depth of one of even two feet.

Plant the roots early in the spring in rows three feet apart, closer if hand cultivated, and about fifteen inches apart in the row. Set the roots in the bottom of a furrow about inches deep and at the time of planting do not completely fill the furrows, but cover the crowns to a depth of two inches. Cultivate to keep free of weeds.

The tops are permitted to grow during the summer each in order to supply the roots with plant food. In the fall, cut off and remove the tops and apply a dressing of manure. An application of commercial fertilizer may be used to good advantage in the spring.

When once established, if kept free of weeds and well supplied with fertilizer, an asparagus bed will last a long time possibly 20 years. Palmetto variety of asparagus is best for Missouri

Katherine Clemmons Gould, wife of Howard Gould, the New York financier, is at the head of a movement to have the women ofthe country put all their efforts into industry.

The total number of church organizations in the United States now stands at 233,834, with 195,313 ministers, priests and rabbis and lady membership of 44,786,036.

Pure Bred S. C. Leghorn Eggs, Young Strain $6.50 per hundred. Farmers 10-19.

Mrs. John A. Gex.

(1st ins. March 22, last April 5)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

In compliance with section 10844, Revised Statutes 1909, notice is hereby given to the qualified votes of District number 97, County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, being the Maryville public school district, that the annual school meeting of said district will be held at the basement of the Carnegie library building, located at Second and Buchanan streets in said district, on Tuesday, the sixth day of April, 1920, commencing at seven o'clock a. m. and closing at six o'clock p. m. of that day and among other things specified by law the following will be proposed and considered:

First: The election of two directors for the term of three years each

Second: A proposition to increase the rate of taxation for the maintance of school and school purpose, six mills on the one dollar of the assessed valuation of the district, in addition to the four mills provided by law.

Third: A proposition to increase the rate of taxation two and one half mills on the one dollar of the assessed valuation of the district for the purpose of repairing and furnishing the school buildings of the district.

Fourth: A proposition to authorize the board of directors of the district to borrow seventy five thousand $(75,000.00) dollars on the credit of the district for the purpose of building and furnishing an addition to the Washington school building in said district and to issue the bonds of the district in payment thereof.

By order of the Board.
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GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Secretary

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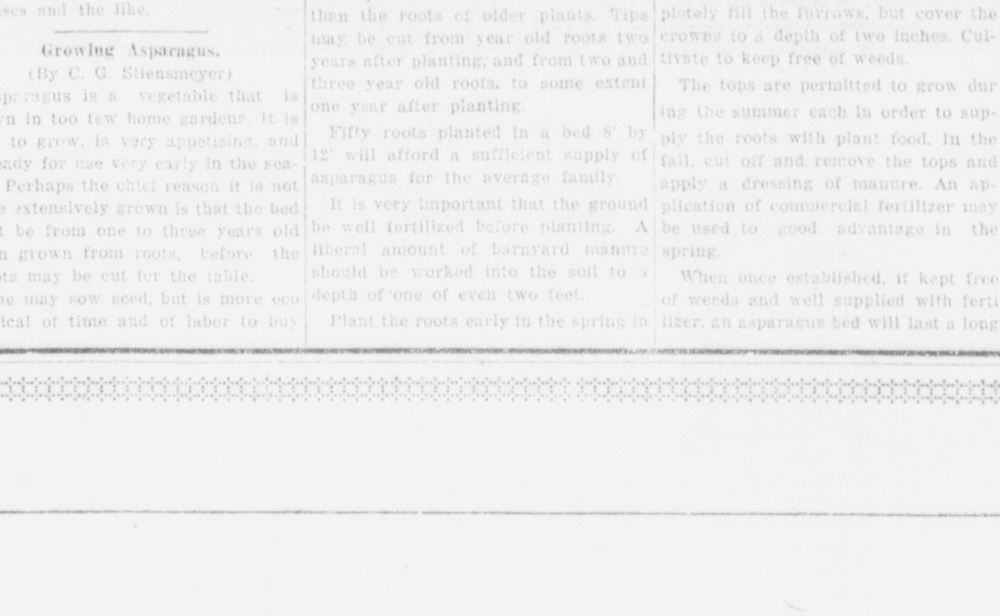

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MARNE MEMORIAL POSTER

JUST as the school children of France gave for their country's gift to the United States—the Statue of Liberty—so will American school children contribute "one cent and upward" for "America's Gift to France," a monumental statue by Frederick MacMonnies, the noted American sculptor. Mr. MacMonnies is contributing his services toward the monument which, it is estimated, will cost $250,000.

The poster shown herewith, is by Albert Sterner, noted American portrait painter. It typifies the tribute which this country will pay to the French through the Marne monument. The poster will be displayed in cities, towns, and villages, and will designate many of the places where contributions may be made during the week of March 22—a free-will offering, in which numbers of contributors, rather than size of contributions, will be sought from school children and others.

Contributions are now being received at National Headquarters, 150 Nassau street, New York, by Charles H. Sabin, president of one of New York's largest trust companies, who is treasurer of the fund.

The memorial will be erected at Meaux, on the Marne, and will rival in size and grandeur of design the Statue of Liberty.

Pretty New York School Girl Helps Spread Appeal for Pennies for "America's Gift to France."

Real Estate Transfers.

List of instruments filed in the Recorder's office of Nodaway county beginning March 20th.

Martha E. Tarpley to Cora A. Shell lts 18 & 19 blk 1 Skidmore $1000

J W Kennedy to R B Hoover part NW NW 11 62 37 $6000

A M Pugh to J R Allen part NE 19 64 35 $3400

J E Smith to A J Wiley part SE NE 11 66 35 $12,000

R W Twaddell to J R Bagby part NW 22 63 37 $6800

J L Griffith to F W Baker E½ L 5 & 6 blk 10 NW add Maryville $1400

Mary C Sewell to J T Pugh et al lts 5 & 6 18 & 19 blk 7 Burl Jct $4700

J T Pugh et al to C E Shackleford lts 5, 6, 18 &19 blk 7 Burl Jct $2600

T C Hallowell to J A Smith lts 3 & 4 blk 56 City cos add Maryville $3000

G W Gates to Ella Snedderly lts 1, 2, 3, & 4 blk 4 Scotts add Elmo $2500

W J Beggs to L K Whorton et al part SE & NE SW 4 62 34 $16,000

Thomas Blatter to J W Herndon blk 17 Torrance add Maryville $1000

E F Wolfert to F M Grundel E½ NE 24 part N W& NW SW 19 64 35 $16,000

C H Coe et al to A S Craig int in part NW NW 17 64 35 $1

A S Craig to C H Coe & wife ½ int in part NW NW 17 64 35 $1

Gideon Matter to S R Robbins N½ lt 115 Barnard cemetery $15

David Wilson et al to G Matter lt 115 Barnard cemetery $5

White Cloud Lodge No 92 to Gideon Matter N½ lt 8 blk 20 1st add Miriam $25

S J Davis to J W Smith & wife lts 6, 7 & 8 part lts 9 & 19 blk 21 Burl Jct $9000

J H Michael to H W Beck part S½ part NW 15 part NE 21 part SW NW 16 65 37 $120,240

J A Robinson to G W Cole S½ SE 23 62 35 $9000

W H Holforth to P M Jorgenson part NE NE 14 62 35 $3000

John O'Day to G M Spoonemore lts 1, 2 & 3 blk 36 Jones add Parnell $2,800

Alvin Willey to Frank Willey NE & NE SE 2 NW NW part SW 1 66 37 $2300

Louise Rush to J G Maier L 6 blk 2 Smiths add Clearmont $150 and one on L2 in ½ blk 3 NW add to Maryville $516.67

F G Maier to SAME 6 blk 2 Smiths add Clearmont $150 and one on L2 in ½ blk 3 NW add Maryville $516.67

LL Maier et al to SAME lt 6 blk 2 Smith add Clearmont $150 and on lt 2 in ½ blk 3 NW add Maryville $516.67

C C Maier to SAME lt 6 blk 2 Smith add Clearmont $150 and one on lt 2 in ½ blk 3 NW add Maryville $516.67

T M Corken to W M Hindman part 1 22, 23 & 24 blk 24 Burl Jct $1800

J F Caskey to E A Carlson SW SW 31 67 37 part SE SE 36 67 38 $4300

Mary F. Schaefer to J T Neal lts 3, 4, 5 & 6 blk 11 Charles 1st add Maryville $1400

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"Rag Doll" Tester for Individual Ears of Corn Is the Simplest and Most Economical.

The quantity and quality of the corn you will harvest next fall depend, first on the kind of seed you plant this spring. Perfect culture and the best weather in the world can not remedy the initial evil if you plant poor seed.

A good seed corn, say specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture, is one that is adapted to the locality, is grown on most productive plants of a productive variety, is well matured, and preserved from ripening the planting time in such a way that the full vigor of the seed will be retained.

It should have been selected in the fall from the stalk, but if that was neglected, all that can be done now is to obtain a uniform type to seed true to varietal characteristics and that will grow.

The mere fact that the kernels will sprout in a germinator is not the whole story. Recent experiments have shown that weak sprouts may be indications of disease, that similar seed when planted is likely not to sprout and, if it does, will grow only a few inches or, at best, produce a barren stalk.

Corn that will come up but that will produce an unprofitable crop is worse than seed which won't grow at all, because it fools a farmer into wasting labor and land on it. Know what your need will do by selecting it yourself.

Cheap seed corn may prove very dear; the seed corn that produces the best crop usually is the cheapest.

If you must buy seed, pay your neighbor a reasonable price for selected well preserved seed of a variety that has made good in a neighboring field; but don't pay a stranger a fancy price for seed claimed to give miraculous yields.

Points on Preparing for Planting Seed.

Seed ears should first be nubbed, and the kernels from tip and butt should be discarded from the seed supply. The small kernels from the tips are less productive than the other kernels on the ear; the thick rounded kernels from the butts are just as productive as any of the rest, but because of their shape and size they do not plant uniformly when used in a corn planter with other kernels.

Shelling by hand takes more time and labor, but is profitable. The mechanical corn sheller will injure some of the kernels, and thus destroy or reduce their power to grow and yield. No matter how large the required supply, says the department, it will still pay to shell it painstakingly by hand, because of the greater the acreage to be planted the greater the ultimate profit.

Each ear should be shelled separately into a shallow pan or box, and any blemished, poorly developed, moldy, or worm-eaten kernel should be rejected.

As the seed from each ear is found satisfactory and sound, and free from poor kernels, it is poured into the general supply, and another ear is shelled in the same way. It is much easier to pick out defective kernels from a thin layer in a small sieve than from a large mingled quantity in a bushel measure or a bag.

Rag-Doll Tester Efficient.

The rag-doll method of testing individual ears of corn is one of the simplest and most economical, and is efficient, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The tester consists of a strip of cloth preferably bleached muslin, sixteen inches wide and from three to five feet long. The cloth should be marked off into square sections and the squares all numbered. The ears to be tested should also be given corresponding numbers. Six or more kernels should be selected from different parts of each ear, and placed in the proper section.

When the tester is filled, fold over each side so that the edges meet in the center, roll up, and soak the tester for a few hours in lukewarm water. Drain off the excess water and place the dolls in a warm place for the seed to germinate. They should be covered with a wet cloth to keep them moist, and in about five days the seed should be sufficiently well germinated to show their fitness for seed.

Farmers' Bulletin 948, "The Rag-Doll Seed Tester," describes fully this method of testing seed corn. It may be obtained free from the Department.

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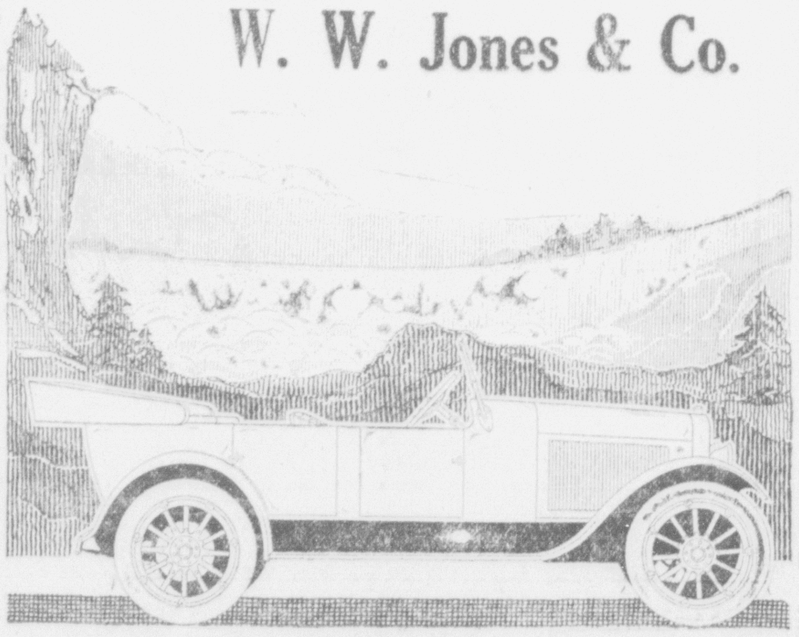

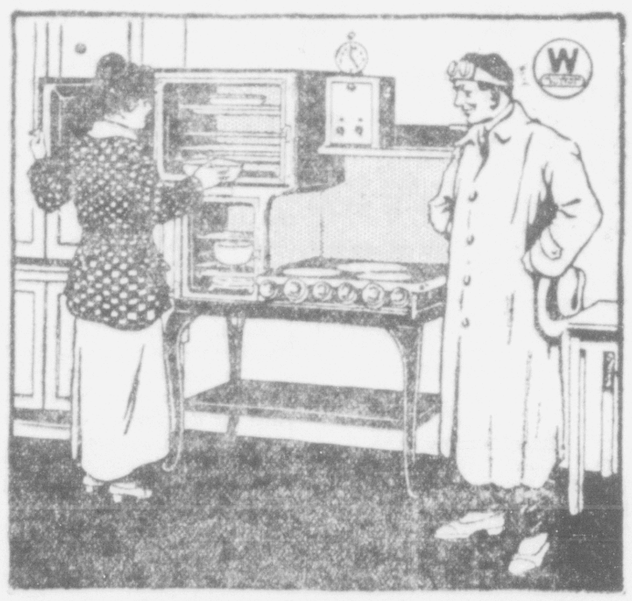

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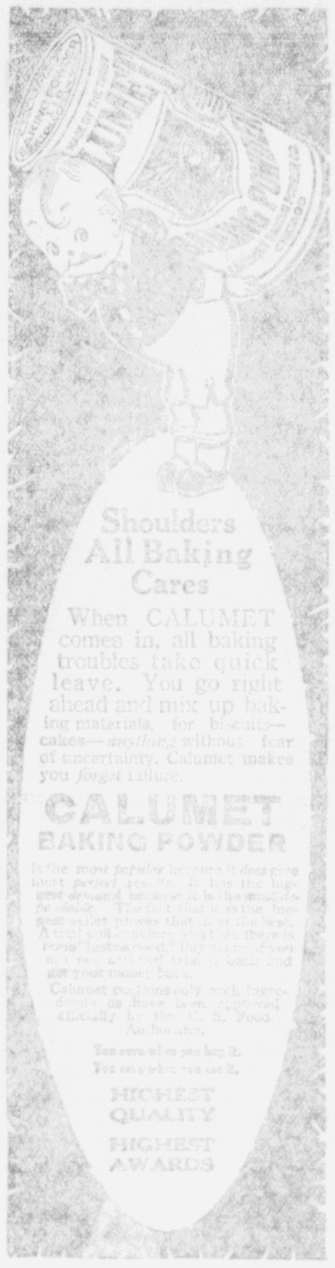
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NEED MORE ROOM

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teachers who have no classroom in which to meet their classes. They are compelled to go from place to place, meeting their classes wherever they can find a room which for the time being is not in use. When we add two more teachers next year and our enrollment is increased to 400 this condition will be much worse than now. The proposed building plan provides for six new classrooms. The Bond Issue must carry or we will positively not have room in which our classes can meet.

(4.) We now have two small gymnasiums, one for boys and one for girls, in the basement of our high school building. These are both entirely too small to meet our needs. We plan to remodel them for the use of our domestic science and agriculture departments. We are including in our proposed building addition, one large gymnasium to take the place of the two small ones which we are changing into classrooms. The new gymnasium will be large enough for physical exercises of all kinds, such as folk dancing classes for girls and calisthenics and setting up exercises for boys. We plan to require all boys and girls, in both high school and grade school, to take these courses in physical education. The new gymnasium will be in use at all hours of the day. Physical exercises will have a place on each pupils daily program just as arithmetic and history do now. We plan to use the gymnasium for school parties and social gatherings of all kinds for school children, where this part of their education can be under the care of the faculty. The gymnasium will also be used for the playing of basketball games between the boys and girls teams of our high school and like teams from other neighboring schools. None of these things which we so badly need can be done, however, unless the bond issue carries next Tuesday.

Some one has asked why it is that we have one vacant room in two of our ward schools buildings. The answer is, that in each of these two schools, two teachers are doing three teachers work by teaching 1½ rooms instead of one room. Our third grade teacher at the Garfield School has over 40 pupils now when she ought not to have more than 25. This condition cannot be changed until the Board of Education has funds enough to put the third teacher back again. In no possible way could these two rooms be used to relieve the crowded high school which is in another building.

I am quite sure that the people of Maryville realize that I have no selfish personal interest in the results of this bond election, as I am leaving the state immediately after the close of the school term in May, to accept another position. However, I do wish to see our schools keep up the progress they have in recent years, and I believe it my duty to tell you our school needs as I see them. I know that the best interests of our schools demand that you approve each of the propositions submitted to you by the Board of Education, on Tuesday next.

J. M. McDonald.

TO IN BURIAL RITES HELD AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

Body of Mrs. Mary Tobin Interred in St. Patrick's Cemetery This Afternoon

Burial rites for Mrs. Mary Tobin, who died at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning at her home on South Mulberry street, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the St. Patrick's church, conducted by Father Niemann. Interment was in the St. Patrick's cemetery.

The acting pall bearers were Frances, Robert and Edward Tobin, Thomas and Phillip Tobin, all grandsons of Mrs. Tobin, and Gerald Cummins. The honorary pall bearers were Misses Helen, Irene and Katherine Tobin all granddaughters and Mary Cummins.

Charles Reiss and James Tobin of Oakes, North Dak., and T. McShane and Leo McShane of Kansas City were in Maryville to attend the services.

TEACHERS OF SKIDMORE SCHOOL HIRED FOR NEXT YEAR

The teachers for the Skidmore school for next year have been hired and contracts signed by all except one.

We feel that we have an unusually good faculty, and are glad that we will have the same teachers next year. Following is a list of teachers with their respective grades: J. W. Pierce, superintendent; Mrs. Mabel Newton, principal; Miss Bernice Snelling, teacher of history and mathematics; Mrs. L. J. Reece, grades seven and eight; Mrs. J. W. Pierce, grades five and six; Miss Maud Linville grades three and four, and Miss Lettie Rodman grades one and two.—Skidmore News.

Cecil Smith Home.

Bugler Cecil Smith, son of Fred Smith of this city, arrived in Maryville last night from Camp Funston on a furlough reserve, after spending three years in service.

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Dinner at Hotel Ealnum.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Whitley, Mrs Ellison, Mrs James W McKnight of King City, chairman of the State Democratic women committee, Mrs Burris A. Jenkins of Kansas City and Mrs. H. A. Owen of St. Joseph who conducted a meeting at the court house this afternoon for the purpose of organizing the women of this county and perfecting a women Democratic county committee, George Robb Ellison and M. E. Ford, formed a dinner party at the Hotel Ealnum today.

Mrs. Viola Williams of Elmo, who has been ill for several months, was taken to a hospital in St. Joseph this morning for medical treatment.

Illinois Visitors Here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vaughn of Maples, Ill., arrived in Maryville last night for an extended visit with their daughter, Mrs. E. M. Heidman and Mr. Heideman.

Social, Clubs Churches

Missionary Meeting.

The work for the new Missionary year began at yesterday's meeting and the new officers for the society have had published a new year book for 1920-1921. The officers are president, Miss Jessie Parcher; secretary Mrs. S. G. Gillam; vice president, Mrs Norman Chamberlin; secretary of literature, Mrs. G. H. Colbert; treasurer Mrs. C. A. Wadley and pianist, Mrs. C. E Wells The finance committee is composed of Mrs S. A. McClurg, Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin and Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr. The May meeting of the society will be held at the home of Mrs J. A. Ford with Mrs. J. H. Eckles and Miss Elizabeth Sawyers as assisting hostesses. The subject for study will be missionary work in Merico with Mrs. F. S. King and Mrs. Murray taking part on the program. The June meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. T. J. Hurley with Mrs D. E. Hotchkins and Miss Jessie Parcher as assistant hostesses. Missions in the West Indies and Oriental people in the United States will be the topics for papers to be given by Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Mrs. H. T. Hooker and Mrs. C. E Wells The July meeting will be held at the home of Mrs Mary Pharos and enlightening talks about Presbyterian schools and reading from Ann Cobb will feature the program. Music will be a pleasing part of the August meeting which is cheduled to be held in the church lecture room with solos by Mrs. C. E. Wells and selections by the Sunday school orchestra. The September and October meetings will be held at the homes of Mrs. O. L. Holmes and Mrs. G. H. Colbert with talks about India, the North and West Indie Missions and hospitals in Alaska. The next meeting will be held on November 4, with Mrs. R. Lyle, Mrs. J. F. Colby and Mrs. Heath as hostesses, and on November 25, the annual Thanksgiving dinner will be given in the church parlors. The January meeting will be a special Consecration service held at the home of Mrs. H. T. Hooker with a varied program. The February and March meetings will conclude the year's work and the election of officers will be held at the latter meeting. The Missionary Society have planned very interesting programs for the entire year and hope to accomplish much good work.

The April meeting of the Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs Henry Foster with Mrs. Lemuel Gault and Mrs. Charles Jackson as assistant hostesses. The meeting opened with the singing of the hymn "Faith in Victory" The scripture reading and prayer was given by the president, Miss Jessie Parcher. The foreign topic for study was "The Greatest Presbyterian Church in the World" which was discussed by Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr., who told about the church at Elat in Africa which has a very large membership of natives and the methods of conversion. The home topic of "The Negro in America" was taken by Miss Lucie Davis who read an interesting paper on this subject. The program closed with a discussion on "Should Old Customs of Primitive or non-Christian people always be changed?" At the business session, an election of delegates to the Presbytery which will be held April 13 and 14 was held Mrs. S. G. Gilliam and Miss Lizzie Sawyers were elected with Mrs. S. A. McClurg and Mrs. Norman Chamberlin as alternates Following the business session, refreshments were served by the hostesses. About twenty members and three visitors, Mrs. Clifford Powell, and Mrs. Margaret Teusaey of Anderson, Ind., the guest of Mrs. G. H. Colbert were present.

Surprise Party

Miss Cleda Brush was tendered a surprise party Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark M. Adkins of Burlington Junction to observe her fifteenth birthday anniversary. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Heuchings, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Adams Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Banner, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Mr. and Mrs. James Adkins, James Kelley, Mr and Mrs. Mark M. Adkins, Misses Martha Adkins, Ina Spangler, Murriel Hutchings, Mildred Adkins, Marjorie Martin Fay Adkins, Kate Kelley, Catherine Hutchings, Agnes Adkins, Cleda Spangler, and Millie Hartness, Messrs. Mark E. Adkins, Jr., Mike Colwell, Marvin Adkins, Marvin Martin, Clifford Adkins, Herbert Hutchings, Lowell Adkins, Russell Martin and Willys Adkins.

Social Hour Club.

The Social Hour club met Wednesday of this week at the home of Mrs. George Porterfield near Pickering. The afternoon entertainment began with the singing of "America, The Beautiful." This was followed by the reading of the minutes from the last meeting and roll call was answered by the giving of Scriptural references Mrs. Floyd Fakes gave a musical reading, "The Last Chord" accompanied by Mrs. Ernest Stafford. Mrs Viola Wade gave several instrumental selections after which a detailed report was given by the treasurer and the program closed with a song given by the entire club. Refreshments were served by the hostesses assisted by Mrs. Roy McMullen. Those present were Mrs. Emmit Gray and children, Beulah Marie, and Billy, Mrs. Edgar Houston, Mrs. Denver Lock and son, Loren, Mrs. Joseph Everhart, Mrs Earnest Stafford, Mrs. C. R. Fakes, Mrs. James Hanna, Mrs. W. B. Scott, Mrs Zone Lock, Mrs Omer Strong, Mrs. R T. Spurgeon, Mrs. Theo. Gray, Mrs. Otis Falkoner, Mrs. Roy McMullin and daughter, Eva LaVern, Mrs. Floyd Fakes, Miss Tressie King and the hostess Mrs. George Porterfield. The visitors present included Mrs. W. B. Porter, Mrs. Viola Wade and son, Joseph of Cloverdale, California.

B. B. Circle.

The B. B. Circle of the Scudder neighborhood met yesterday in an all day session at the home of Mrs. Charles Shinabargar. The day was spent in making quilts and at dinner a delicious dinner was served by Mrs. Shinabargar assisted by Mrs. D. F. Moody and Mrs. William Ramey. The members present included Mrs Marion Ripley, Mrs. Ed Russell, Mrs. Granville Gray, Mrs. Frank Hull, Mrs. Marvel Keller, Mrs. William Ramey, Mrs. Frank Gray, Mrs. Orville Ripley Mrs. Loren Jones, Mrs. D. F. Moody and the hostesses. Several visitors, Miss Nettie Cox and Miss Mary Frazee Elizabeth Keller, Nina and Helen Ramey, James Loren Jones and Curtis Dean Gray were also present. The next meeting will be an all day session to be held on April 15, at the home of Mrs. William Ramey.

Lyle Family Week End Party

Miss Vivian Lyle of Camden Point, Mo., a student of the Missouri Christian college, is expected to arrive in Maryville tomorrow to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lyle. Their two sons, Virgil and Aubrey Lyle of Omaha who are employed in the Burgess-Nash store, are expected home tomorrow night at so far a family gathering on Easter day.

Quilting Division Meets.

The Quilting division of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Christian church met Wednesday and Thursday afternoons of this week at the church Twelve members were present at Wednesday's meeting and seven at yesterdays meeting. The members of the division are holding extra sessions in order to make up the time missed during the winter when they were unable to meet.

Entertain S. S. Classes

Miss Inez Moore and Miss Helen Hankins will entertain the members of their Sunday school classes of the First Methodist church tomorrow afternoon with an Easter party at the Hankins home.

Easter Party.

The Sunday school classes of the First Presbyterian church taught by Mrs. Emery Airy and Miss Alice Worst will enjoy an Easter party and an in door picnic Saturday afternoon at the church.

Sunday School Party.

The Young People's class of the Pleasant Grove Sunday School near Arkoe was entertained last night at the home of Miss Maye Logan. Music games and refreshments were pleasantries of the evening. Those present were Misses Ruby Rice, Cleo Hall, Marie Frost, Dorothy Clements, Virginia Cain, Mary Rice, Maye Logan, Susie Rice, Enlya and Neola Baxter, Ruth and Anna Hardisty, Glee Hukill, Trueman Clayton, Roy Bartlit, Jacob Clements, Lena Cain, Clifford Rice, Edgar Henderson, Lawrence Rice, Walter and Floyd Logan, Lester Keder, Jacob and Floyd Moore and Chester Davison.

Methodist Women Meet.

Twenty-two members were present at the meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church which was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Curfman with Mrs. W. O. Garrett and Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox as assisting hostesses. The topic for study was "Africa and the promise of the Future" and the program was lead by Mrs. House, with all the patrons of the school district invited to attend. Following the business meeting, a variety program was given. A lunch was served at the close of the afternoon. Mrs. Gorton assisted by Mrs. George Wray and Mrs. Thomas Latimer. The members present included Mrs. Al Byerrum, Mrs. William Letts, Mrs. Thomas Latimer, Mrs. Hornbuckle, Mrs. Orville Gray, Mrs. Walter Runnels, Mrs. Paul Runnels, Mrs. Ben Shannon, Mrs. George Wray, Mrs. Edmond Harvey, Miss Faye Hornbuckle, Miss Loretta Letts, Eldena and Lillian Runnels and Geraldine Hornbuckle. The next meeting will be held on April 22, at the home of Mrs. Edmond Harvey.

Rebecca Brink. She also gave a talk on "Black Art and White," and Mrs. Garrett one on "Samaritaas to Paganism" and "The Promise." Leaflets were read by Mrs. W. T. Ramsey and Mrs. Wemaley on "Witch Doctors and Charms" and "A Million—and One." The Mystery box was conducted by the president, Mrs. Walter Mutz, which concluded the program.

B. A. R. Meeting.

The Maryville Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. J. Thomas, 623 North Main street, with Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs. Ed G. Orear and Miss Beulah Brunner as assisting hostesses.

Bloomdale Club Meets.

Mrs. William Gorton of near Pickering was hostess to the regular meeting of the Bloomdale Willing Workers club yesterday afternoon at her home. During the business session it was decided to hold a basket dinner on April 16, at the Bloomdale school.

Back from Grant City

Judge John M. Dawson and Prosecuting Attorney Charles McCaffrey returned today from Grant City, Mr. McCaffrey represented the county in the Plate Valley drainage district case the commissioners assessing damages against the county for $10,800. The amount was reduced this week to $4

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SEEDS! SEEDS! All kinds of bulk field and garden seeds. Why buy them in the packet, when you can get some for your money in the bulk from The Seedy Man. Onions sets 15c per qt. R. S. Braniger. M25tf

FOR SALE—Sweet clover, white blossom, recleaned. No better seed to be had. And for early and all season pasture. Elmer Fraser. 27-2

FOR SALE— Strawberry plants, Senator Dunlap and Warfield. Ready April 5. H. England. Han. 3268. M26tf.

FOR SALE—1917 model Ford touring car. Good condition, good tires. Inquire at Democrat-Forum or call Han. 253. M20tf.

Pure Bred S. C. R. I. eggs for hatching, $5.00 per 100. Mrs. Will Wells, Maryville 29-3

FOR SALE—Pure bred S. C. Brown Leghorn eggs, $5.00 per 100. Mrs. C. H. Rice, Farmers 40-20 29-3

FOR SALE—Few settings choice Barred Rock eggs, 98c per 15c, Mrs. Alex Holt, 319 West 12th St., Farmers 32-16. M29-3

FOR SALE—Schenck property at 528 West Fourth street, including two lots. See Miss Schenck at Democrat-Forum office. tf

FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring car, would take a good cow in part payment. H. T. Godsey. 29-3

FOR SALE—Until April 15 will sell a tube for $1 with each Goodrich casing sold from present stock. Johnson Garage, Pickering, Mo. 31-10.

FOR SALE—6 room modern house good basement. Call Farmer 174-11 31-2*

FOR SALE—Some splendid values in used pianos. Can't tell them from new. Our supply is limited—better see them at once. Scott & Landon, Conservatory bldg. 31-2

FOR SALE—Choice timothy seed $5 per bushel. R. W. Collins, Pickering, phone 1-98 31-2*

FOR SALE—A well established freight transfer business in Maryville, doing between $3,000 and $4,000 business a year. If interested inquire at this office 20-5

Brown Leghorn eggs for setting, $5 per 100. Mrs. J. H. Messbarger, Ravenwood, Mo. 1-7

FOR SALE—Or rent: Possession June 1, property 402 S. Buchanan. Address Florence Staples 2823 E. 8th St. Kansas City, Mo. 1-3*

Orders taken for the Mammouth White Pekin duck eggs. Big laying strain. $1.00 per setting of 11 eggs. Delivered anywhere in Maryville. Mrs Elwood Shinabargar, R F. D. 5 Box 88 1-3*

FOR SALE—At a bargain. Small sized passenger Buick car with winter top. See George McMurray. C. D. Bellows. 1-3

FOR SALE—Pure Buff Rock eggs for hatching. $1.00 per setting. Mrs. R. H. Duncan, 1409 N Mulberry Han 2504 1-2*

FIR SALE— Stowes ever green sweet corn. M. I. Woods, 123 North Charles St. 31-2*

FOR SALE—3 white & 3 black rabbits. Thompson barber shop. 31-2*.

FOR SALE —3 good milk cows. T. M. Trullinger, Farmers phone 14-12

FOR SALE—Ford touring car in good running condition; good tires; new top. Maryville Motor Co 2-5

FOR SALE—Good young [illegible] high grade. Call 329 East 4th St., 2 blocks east of square. 2-5*

FOR SALE—2 female kid goats 336 East 3rd St. Hanamo, phone 553. 2-4*

MISCELLANEOUS.

First class auto repairing repair and recharging storage batteries, auto accessories of all kinds, Ajax tires. We also weld all kinds of metal. Hillsbeck Garage, Graham, Mo. 3tf.

STRAYED—From C. J. Eckert farm one white face coming yearling steer, weight about 450 to 500 lbs., dehorned A. M. Slatten, Farmers 7-11. M29tf

WANTED—Family washing. Inquire at this office. F2J1

WANTED—All kinds of used and junk cars. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co M11tf.

I am now ready to make farm loans on short notice. C. P. Anderson Real Estate and Investment Co. D13 tf.

WANTED—To trade an extra good young Jack, 3 years old for good Ford touring car. E. E. Dowis, Sheridan, Mo. M27A13*

WANTED—Experienced girl to wait tables at the New York Candy Kitchen Good wages, steady position. M26tf

WANTED—All kinds of second hand furniture, stoves and rugs. Han 530 and Farmers 310. Case Furniture Store 2tf

WANTED—Magazines, magazines.—We are still wanting your magazines at 1c per pound. So get them ready. Skip, bring or call to the Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. M 5 tf.

IRON IRON

Do you want to get the full price for your iron or any other junk. If you do call or see us before selling, we will pay highest price for country mixed iron and other junk of any kind. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. M 18tf.

MEN WANTED—To sell Joselyn's powder direct to farmers. Need not be "smooth talkers" but men who can show up a fair, square proposition to the hog raisers, no notes or signatures being required. Men from about 30 to 60 years old preferred. Must have own car. Write to, or call on Ed S. Joselyn, Rockwell City, Iowa. 29-3*

WANTED—Parties who are interested to call and see our exceptional values in both new and used pianos. Scott & Landon, Conservatory bldg. 31-2

FOUND—Bay horse wt. 900 lbs., about 4 years old. Call Tom Beattie south of Arkoe and also pay for this ad. 31-2

LOST— Between Maryville and Pickering the rim and glass off light on Buick car. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 31-2

WANTED—The public to know that we are putting in a line of the famous sweet toned Symphony talking machines, known for their clearness of tone and silent running motors. $90 style 44 inches high. Scott & Landon Conservatory building. 31-2

OF COURSE YOU KNOW—We sell galvanized Chicken Coops, Garden Plows, Hoes and Rakes. Holt Supply Company. 31-2.

ROOMS WANTED— By young couple for light house keeping. Want down stairs rooms. Furnished or unfurnished. Close in. Have little boy 4 years old. Call Fulton at Maco Print Shop, Han. 40. tf

WANTED—Lady for general house work, family of four, no children, middle age lady prefered, write or call W. W. Linebaugh, Clearmont, Mo. 1-3*

LOST—Man's brown kid glove for the right hand. Notify Democrat-Forum office. Prof. Cooper. 1-3

WANTED— A woman to do general house work for family of three. No washing. Call Han. 3012. 1-3*

WANTED—To rent, 5 or 8 room at least partly modern house. Would like possession as soon as possible. Address F. A. B., this office. 1-3

Buff Orphington eggs of hatching. Mrs. S. B. Craven, phone thru Orrsburg. 2-5*

WANTED—A farm hand. T. M. Trullinger, Farmers phone 14-12

Get AMAZA for spring cleaning. Cleans rugs, carpets, draperies etc., and removes grease spots of all kinds 2-8

FOUND—State auto license No. 167 149. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for ad. 2-5

FOR RENT

WANTED—Night fireman Inquire Englemann Greenhouses M13tf

FOR RENT—Two splendid lots for gardening to reduce the high cost of living. Located 1 block from Jefferson school. Cal 309 S. Dewey St. 31-2*

Communication

School Children Have Chickens at School

Morgan School
Skidmore, Mo.
March 31, 1920

Editor Democrat-Forum:

Some of the members of our vitalized agriculture class saw an item in your paper last week about our flock of chickens. We want to correct that item for you stated that the patrons furnished the pens, coops and chickens. This is not correct.

I will tell you how we did it. We were studying chickens in vitalized agriculture and thought it would be a good plan to have some chickens at school. Each member of the class agreed to bring two hens from home. The next problem was a house and pens. Finally we decided to use the old coal house which was empty since we have the basement. We partitioned it off and put in nests and roosts. Then we went to work on the pens. The first thing was to set the posts. This was hard work for the ground was frozen. Next we got some boards that the carpenters had left in the basement. We put on of these from post to post at both bottom and top. There was some old weather boarding scattered over the yard and we gathered it up and nailed it on for pickets. We culled our hens and put the nine that we thought were good layers in one pen and seven poor layers in the other.

From March fifteenth to twenty ninth we gathered fifty eggs from the good layers and five from the poor ones. This proves that culling is successful.

We are trying to feed a balanced ration. We give them equal parts of corn and wheat or oats morning and evening and at noon a wet mash of shorts, bran and tankage.

We will be very much pleased to have you print these corrections.

REBECCA BRIGGS
Vitalized Agriculture Class.

FOR RENT—150 acre farm. Allan Bros. 1-3

COOK FUNERAL SERVICES HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Were Held at St. Patrick's Church at 3:30 O'clock Conducted by Father Niemann.

Funeral services for Paul J. Cook who died Wednesday morning at his home on South Main street, were held at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon at the St. Patrick's church. They were conducted by Father Niemann. Interment was in the St. Patrick's cemetery.

A choir composed of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cummins, Miss Anna Parle, Richard and Dennis Collins sang, "Raise Me Jesus", "Lead Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me." The acting pall bearers were Ed Costello, Ed Ferritor, John Kane, Bernard Dougan, William Linville and William Doffing. The honorary pall bearers were N. Sturm, Dennis Collins, William Linneman, Fred Fogan, M. J. Sherlock and T. G. Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Suder and Mrs. Albert Spring of Council Bluffs, Ia., Mr. and Mrs Joseph Hydinger and Mrs. Theodore Siedel of Crofton, Neb were here to attend the services.

Mrs. R. D. Jones who has been spending the winter at Burlington, Ia., with her cousin, C. M. Black, arrived in Maryville this morning and will make her home here. She was accompanied to Maryville by Mr. Black.

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This well known Percheron Stallion and Jack (Smokey) will make the season of 1920 at the G. H. Null farm 6½ miles east and 2 miles north of Maryville and 1 mile south and 1½ miles west of Harmony Church.

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talked with the men.

One witness to take the stand said he was positive that Burns, and Carey were connected with the holdup but he was not sure of Edwards. Asked how he knew Burns was implicated he said that he noticed a signet ring and masked thumb of the left hand holding a pistol towards him. He believed it was Burns' hand, and later when at another place he saw Burns he had made it a particular point to look at "Bob's" hand to make sure, he asserted.

The state rested its case and the attorneys for the defense went into conference. Returning to the court room they asked the court to discharged Wells and Edwards because of insufficient evidencee brought out in the testimony to warrant holding them in jail. The case would then be continued for hearing testimony of the defense witnesses.

A hot argument ensued between the defense and prosecution regarding the merits of the request. Attorney Steele rose and said that to hold the young men in jail was a "burning outrage too infamous to describe" that the court could do as it pleased about sending them back or not. The court ruled that the young men should go to jail.

Promptly the defense assembled in an auto room and returned hastily saying that they would rest their case and asked the discharge of Wells of whom no mention had been made during the testimony. The court granted that Wells be dismissed and the other three men be remanded to the county jail under $10,000 bond.

PROMINENT WOMEN SPEAKERS HERE THIS AFTERNOON

Conduct Women's Meeting to Organize a Women's Democratic County Committee.

Nodaway county is to have a Women's Democratic county committee. A meeting for the purpose of organizing the women of this county and to perfect such an organization was held this afternoon at the court house and was well attended by the women of Maryville along with a number of interested men.

Mrs. James V. McKnight, chairman of the State Democratic women committee, Mrs. H. A. Owen of St. Joseph a member of the committee, and Mrs. Burris A. Jenkins of Kansas City, arrived in Maryville at noon today and are conducting the meeting this afternoon. Mrs. Jenkins was the first speaker for the afternoon and gave an interesting address on women's suffrage and the duties of women relative to suffrage at the present time.

Mrs. Jenkins talk will be followed by addresses by Mrs. McKnight and Mrs. Owen after which a chairman will be nominated, who will take charge of furthering the organization

MARKET REPORTS

Kansas City, April 2.—Cattle receipts 1,100; steers $9 to $12.85; cows $8 to $11. Hogs 2,500; top $15.90; bulk $14.75 to $15.60.

Chicago, April 2—Cattle 3500, hogs 6000, sheep 9000

St. Joseph, April 2—Cattle 1000, hogs 6000, top $15.50; sheep 1500.

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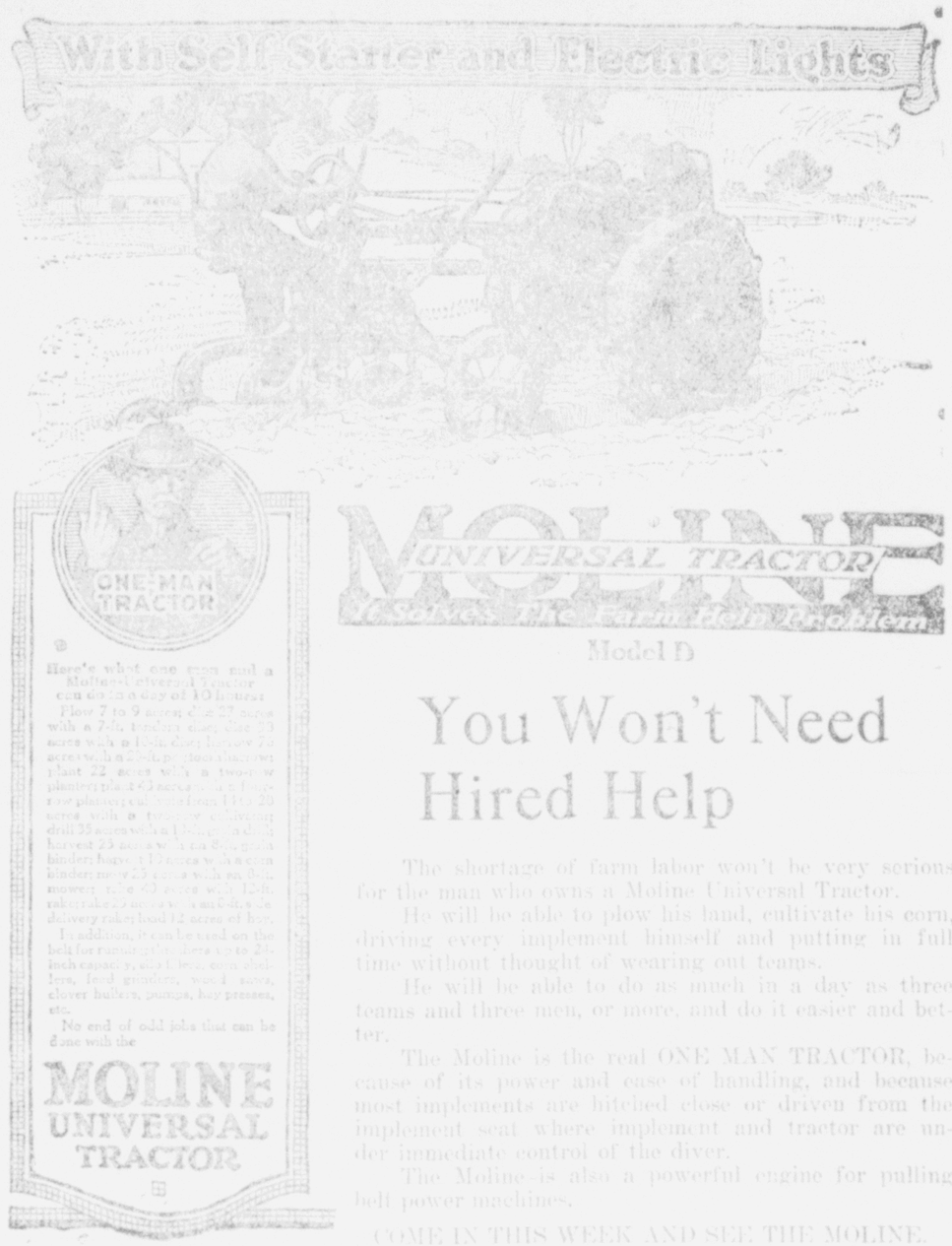
ANNOUNCE SUNDAY SERVICES AT GRAHAM M. E. CHURCH

Sunday school at the Graham Methodist church will be held at 10 a. m. Sunday, Epworth League at 7 p. m. and preaching services at 8 p. m. Services at Swan Chapel will begin with the organizing of Sunday school at 10 o'clock and preaching services at 11 a. m. An Easter program will be given at Mt. Zion at 11 a. m. Revival services have been discontinued at Mt. Zion and there will be no services Sunday night. The Ladies Aid Society of the Graham Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon as usual.



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AMERICAN LEGION TO PUT ON SHOW APRIL 15-16

Rehearsals to Start Next Week—Ma Medals Given to Members at Meeting Last Night.

The giving out o the Missouri medals to the members of the American Legion and the receiving of fifteen new members into the posts member ship were the principal features of the meeting of the James Edward Gray Post No. 109 of the American Legion which was held last night in their club rooms.

The Missouri Medals are given out by the Adjutant General H. C. Clark for the State of Missouri to all its ex service men who have sent in their biographies and service records. A large number of the members of the James Edward Gray Post received these last night and others will be awarded them as soon as their papers have been signed up.

Plans for boosting "Johnny Get Your Gun" to be staged by the Legion boys on April 15 and 16 at the Empire theatre were discussed. The director, Ed Russell, and his advertising manager are expected to arrive in Maryville Sunday night. Mr. Russell directs plays exclusively for the American Legion Posts and the play "Johnny Get Your Gun" one of two which he directs is said to be a scream from beginning to end. Rehearsals will begin on April 5, in the Legion club rooms.

The play is in three acts beginning with a prologue. The prologue is a scene in a motion picture studio in Los Angeles with a director, Mary Pickofrd, Theda Bara, Wellington Booth, Johnny Dawson, "Prop", Charlie Chaplin, Miss Finch, Marguerite Clark, Messenger and bathing girls as the actors.

There are eight principals in the play with about sixty people in the entire cast. The proceeds of the play will go to a fund for the purpose of maintaining the Legion club rooms.

About thirty boys attended the meeting held last night. The next meeting will be held on April 22, instead of 15th because of the staging of the play

A marriage license was issued today to Theodore Williams of Hopkins and Laura B. Wilson of Maryville.

L. S. Hamilton, cashier at the Burlington freight house, will leave tonight for Des Moines, Ia., on a short business trip.

Mrs. Burt Rowley left this morning or El Dorado, Kan., for a several days visit with her daughter, Mrs. William Neilsen.

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Miss Broyles to K. C.

Miss Mary Louise Broyles who has been quite ill for the past ten weeks at hr home on East First street, was taken to Kansas City this morning where she will be placed in a hospital there for treatment. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Broyles.

Mrs. Frank Wright of Bedford, Ia., returned home Friday after a visit in Maryville with her daughter, Mrs. L. S. Hamilton. Her grandson, John, accompanied her home for a short visit.

SPECIAL EASTER EXERCISES AT METHODIST CHURCH, SOUTH

Children's Dramatic Club of Sunday School to Give Program Sunday

The little folks of the Methodist church, South Sunday school are to entertain the rest of the Sunday school with an special Easter program to be given during the Sunday school hour next Sunday. The children of the dramatic club of the Sunday school will present the program which is divided into three parts as follows

Part I. Greetings of Gladness from Bluebirds and Robins— Cradle Roll and Beginners.

Part II Counting a Garden of Wishing Dafodils—Primary department

Part III Easter Messages —Junior department.

Move to Oskaloosa, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth R. Coile are moving this week from Norton, Kan., to Oskaloosa, Ia., where Mr. Coile will make his headquarters. They visited here from Saturday until Monday, and Mrs. Coile will remain here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Yaple, until they are able to secure a house.— Burlington Junction Post.

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